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SUBJECT INCIDENTS AT RESIDENCE OF CAMEROONS AMBASSADOR TO UN

1. EMBASSY HAS RECEIVED NOTE FROM FONMIN REPORTING THAT RESIDENCE OF CAMEROON PERREP AT UN "CONTINUALLY OBJECT OF UNJUSTIFIED VANDALISM." DETAILS CITED: FOR THIRD TIME PLAQUE INDICATING LOCATION OF RESIDENCE RIPPED OUT AND CARRIED OFF; ELECTRIC BELL AT ENTRANCE GATE STOLEN; 22 SPOTLIGHTS IN RESIDENCE GARDEN DISAPPEARED; IN ADDITION, THE PERPETRATORS HAVE TRANSFORMED AMBASSADOR'S RESIDENCE GARDEN INTO "PUBLIC WATERING GROUND." NOTE QUESTIONS WHAT MIGHT BE THE "TRUE GOAL OF THESE BIG-TIME HOODLUMS."

2. FONMIN REQUESTS EMBASSY'S INTERVENTION WITH COMPETENT US AUTHORITIES SO THAT "THESE DISHONOURABLE ACTS MAY BE ENDED." IT ALSO EXPRESSES APPRECIATION FOR WHATEVER USG MIGHT DO TO ASSURE "BETTER RESPECT FOR INTERNATIONAL PRACTICES AND AGREEMENTS GUARANTEEING PROTECTION OF FOREIGN DIPLOMATS, ESPECIALLY PRINCIPLE OF INVIOABILITY OF THEIR RESIDENCES STEMMING FROM PRIVILEGE OF EXTRATERRITORIALITY."

3. EMBASSY REPLYING WITH EXPRESSION OF REGRETS FOR INCIDENTS REPORTED IN FONMIN NOTE, ASSURANCE OF CONSTANT EFFORTS BY USG TO PROTECT DIPLOMATS AND THEIR PROPERTY, ASSUMPTION UNCLASSIFIED

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THAT THESE INCIDENTS ALREADY REPORTED BY CAMEROON PERMREP

TO USUN, AND ASSURANCE THAT CONTENTS OF FONMIN NOTE BEING REPORTED
BY EMBASSY TO DEPARTMENT AND USUN.

4. EMBASSY WOULD APPRECIATE RECEIVING FROM USUN AND DEPT.
ANY USEFUL INFORMATION WE MIGHT PASS CURC BOTH ON SPECIFIC
CAMEROON PERMREP PROBLEM AND GENERAL SITUATION OF EFFORTS
PROTECT PROPERTY OF DIPLOMATIC PERSONNEL AT UN.
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